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MAYOR JERRY SANDERS PRESS RELEASE

SANDERS APPOINTS KELLY BROUGHTON AS PERMANENT DIRECTOR FOR CITY'S DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT

OTHER CHANGES RETURN BOEKAMP TO ENGINEERING AND CAPITAL PROJECTS AND MOVE JARRELL TO INTERIM SLOT AS DCOO FOR PUBLIC WORKS

Mayor Jerry Sanders today announced that he has appointed Kelly Broughton as the permanent Director for the City's Development Services Department (DSD). Broughton, who has been serving as the Assistant Director of DSD, will assume the Director's position on Monday November 12.

The Mayor's decision will allow Patti Boekamp to return to her permanent position as Director of the City's Engineering and Capital Projects Department. Boekamp has most recently served as the interim Director of DSD.

The Mayor has also announced the appointment of David Jarrell as interim Deputy Chief Operating Officer for Public Works. Jarrell's appointment follows the decision by Richard Haas, the current DCOO for Public Works, to leave City employment to pursue personal projects. Jarrell will assume his interim post on November 23.

"I am very grateful that we have such strong team," said Mayor Sanders. "Kelly has been engaged in helping to reform the business process over in DSD and I'm sure he'll be successful in carrying that process forward as Director," he said. "And, even though I'm sorry that Rich is leaving the City, I think he's done a great job in preparing Dave to handle the interim assignment in his absence," said the Mayor.

APPOINTEES HAVE THE NECESSARY TRAINING, EXPERTISE AND EXPERIENCE

Broughton has held management positions in the City's Planning, Engineering & Capital Projects, and Development Services Departments over the past 18 years. His most recent assignment has been Assistant Director of the Development Services Department. Broughton graduated Pennsylvania State University with a bachelor's degree in landscape architecture and

is a registered Landscape Architect. In addition to his work with the City, Broughton gained seven years of planning, civil engineering, and landscape architectural design and construction experience at a private design firm in Massachusetts.

Mr. Jarrell joined the City in April of 2006 following a 17-year career as an Engineer with the United States Navy and 6 years in private practice as both a practicing engineer and management consultant. Jarrell earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering from Ohio State University and his Master of Science degree in Civil Engineering from Purdue University. He will hold the interim DCOO position as the Mayor conducts a search for a permanent replacement for Mr. Haas.

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